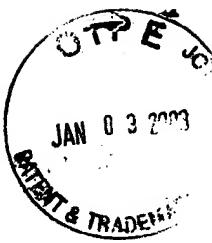


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two months	[] 400.00		[] 200.00
three months	[] 920.00		[x] 460.00
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The requisite fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17 is:

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